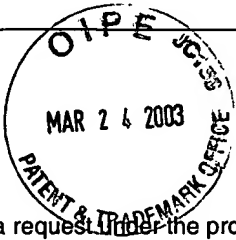


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

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In re Application of: Sun Ai Raillard et al.

Application Number: 09/920,452

Filed: July 31, 2001

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For: Nucleotide Incorporating Enzymes

Group Art Unit: 1631

Examiner: Carolyn L. Smith

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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above-identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

- ☐ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$ 110
- ☒ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$ 410
- ☐ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$ 930
- ☐ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1450
- ☐ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$1970
- ☐ Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27, therefore the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ _____

A small entity statement under 37 CFR 1.27:

- ☐ is enclosed.
- ☐ has already been filed in this application.

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☐ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-0990. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the ☐ assignee of record of the entire interest.

☐ applicant.

☒ attorney or agent of record.

☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a)

Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). _____

MARCH 18, 2003

Date

Signature

Sharon M. Fujita Reg. No. 38,459

Typed or printed name and Reg. No.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231 on this date: March 18, 2003

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Diane D. Dunn

Signature

Date

18-Mar-2003